## UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION

(New Nonprovisional Applications Under 37 CFR § 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No. 50325-0529 (3858)



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Transmitted herewith is the patent application of ( ) application identifier or (X) first named inventor, Michael J. Kirkwood, et al., entitled BUSINESS VOCABULARY DATA RETRIEVAL USING ALTERNATIVE FORMS, for a(n):

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